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Our Legacy

"...wherever they found themselves within society - rich, poor, or middle class - and with whatever gifts or talents they had been given, they could and should unite their energies with those of their fellow citizens and follow through on their duty to work toward making the good society...."

The Biography of William Wilberforce (1759-1833),

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"Do for the future what you're grateful the past did for you." – Danny Hillis, the Golden Rule of Time

Throughout the years, Harry Todd Park has been a place where families have gathered. Thanks to the work of the Lakewood Parks Department, rolling green grass has replaced thickets; the trees - that once housed makeshift forts – are landscaped; and memories continue to be made there at a most beautiful setting - the envy of any community.

Now, with the plans calling for easier access for those with disabilities, the less-mobile can escape their home fortresses of solitude for the wide-open vistas and waterfront activities that will thus become available to everyone.

Anyone considering a move to a community should make one of their first visits in the neighborhood to the local park. That's where neighbors gather, where friendships are made, where laughter and family gatherings and baseball games are had. Where memories are made!

One of the best quality of life indicators in a community is the existence of, and the investment in, the local park. It is with this sense of pride that we, as the Tillicum Woodbrook Neighborhood Association Board of Directors, heartily endorse the plans for Harry Todd Park, grateful for the past where then, and now, and even more so for the future it is the place to be.

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